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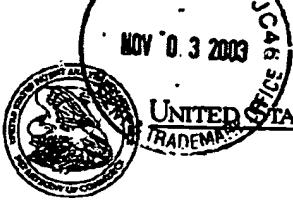
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity

- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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Applicant : Mu-Fa LIN
Serial No. : 10/616,747
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For : NAIL MAGAZINE
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Transmitted herewith are the following:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION w/CERTIFICATE OF MAILING;

Declaration for Patent Application with Power of Attorney; Copy of date stamped receipted acknowledgment postcard; and Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT POSTCARD.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required, or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 02-1435. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.

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Respectfully,

CHARLES E. BAXLEY
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Dated: October 31, 2003

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Charles E. Baxley
Attorney's Name


Signature

October 31, 2003
Date

above referenced United States Patent Application, enclosed herewith is the following item required in order to avoid abandonment:

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- In compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, a Declaration for Patent Application with Power of Attorney identifying the Application by the Application Number and Filing Date;

Also enclosed herewith is a copy of a date stamped receipted acknowledgment postcard which itemizes documents forwarded to PTO with the Patent Application. The Declaration/Power was a part of the Application forwarded to PTO as shown in item 1 on the postcard.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application has also been attached to this Response.

In view of the foregoing it is believed that there should be not be a late filing fee or declaration surcharge due to PTO. Any discrepancy in payment or overpayment should be debited or credited to Deposit Account 02-1435.

It is believed that the above explanation and enclosures should satisfy the requirements of the Notice.

Courtesy, cooperation and skill of PTO are acknowledged.

Respectfully,

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Enclosures: Declaration for Patent Application with Power of Attorney;
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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION
WITH POWER OF ATTORNEY

Docket: 13847 B

As below named inventor, I hereby declare that my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled NAIL MAGAZINE

the specification of which (check one) is attached hereto; was filed on July 9, 2003 as Application Serial No. 10/616,747 and was amended on _____ (or amended through, if applicable). I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a). I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Priority Claimed
092208897	Taiwan R.O.C.	15, May 2003	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

I (we) hereby appoint Charles E. Baxley, USPTO Reg. No. 20,149, whose Post Office address is: Hart, Baxley, Daniels & Holton, 59 John Street, Fifth Floor, New York, New York 10038, Tel: (212) 791-7200, Fax: (212) 791-7276, as my (our) attorney with full powers of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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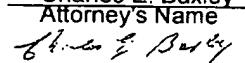
Dear Sir:

A refund in the amount of Sixty-Five Dollars (\$65.00) is hereby respectfully requested because of a mistaken assessment thereof by the Patent and Trademark Office.

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Charles E. Baxley
Attorney's Name


Signature

February 10, 2004
Date

Applicant received a Monthly Statement Of Deposit Account dated November 28, 2003 indicating a Sixty-Five Dollar (\$65.00) charge for Fee Code 2051 (surcharge late filing fee for declaration) for the above referenced Patent Application bearing a docket number 13847 B.

The Application in question had been filed on July 9, 2003 containing all items listed on an acknowledgment postcard date stamped by USPTO. A copy of the date stamped acknowledgment postcard is attached hereto.

A Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application was mailed from USPTO on October 28, 2003. A Response to the Notice was filed with USPTO on October 31, 2003 forwarding another copy of the Declaration for Patent Application with Power of Attorney and a copy of the date stamped receipted acknowledgment postcard was an attachment representing that the Declaration for Patent Application with Power of Attorney was listed as Item 1 on the postcard. A copy of the Response to the Notice also is attached hereto.

Because the Declaration for Patent Application with Power of Attorney was originally forwarded to USPTO as a part of the Patent Application a surcharge should not be assessed. In view of the above, Applicant's Attorney requests respectfully that the Sixty Five Dollars (\$65.00) deducted from Deposit Account 02-1435 be returned.

Courtesy, cooperation and skill of PTO are acknowledged.

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Respectfully,

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